PROGRAMME OF SPORTS TO DAY.

RACING.—Saratoga Racing Association, Saratoga, 1:30 p. m. YACHTING.—New-York Yacht Club races for commodore cups off Newport; Lake Yacht Racing Association meet, Toronto; Oshkosh I. L. Y. A. week, Oshkosh, Wis.; Eric, open, Eric, Papp.

1. L. Y. A. week, Oshkosh, Wis., Eric. Penn.
LAWN TENNIS.—National championships, Newport, R. I.
CYCLING.—Annual meeting. League of
American Wheelmen, Boston.
BASEBALL.—Brooklyn against Cleveland,
Washington Park, Brooklyn, 4 p. m.
SHOOTING.—Emerald Gun Club, Dexter

#### RACING.

LIGHT FIELDS OF ORDINARY CALIBRE AT SARATOGA-STEWARDS INVESTIGATE MEADOWTHORPE'S RUNNING.

Saratoga, Aug. 14 (Special).—The racing here today was the same old story of light fields of de-cidedly ordinary calibre. The fact that it was one "extra" days seemed to be the excuse for The truth is that the horsethe absence of class. men are utterly indifferent to the sort of racing they furnish. They are here to rest up and make ready for what is to come at Sheepshead Bay later on, and nothing will induce a change of plans.

The bookmakers had a drawing for positions to day, and forty-two started to work, a record for the track. Few of this number found the business they expected, for, although the crowd was hig, short priced favorites failed to tempt the ma-

Meadowthorpe in the third race. It was one of the most glaring cases of inconsistent running that the meeting has furnished. A comparison of his recent races makes form a delusion and a snare. The stew ards evidently take the same view of it that the public does, for an investigation was at once started, which may bring trouble to some one, Owners, trainers and jockeys were examined in the search for evidence, and the case is still under

Mai, a filly from the stable of S. Sanford & Sons won the opening race. The general opinion seemed to be that the race was made for her. If it was, abouts the entire journey and won in good style with Exit second and Belle of Troy third. Halo who completed the field, found the journey too far

the betting did not indicate any great confidence among his admirers and the odds declined. The winner turned up in the California colt Tar Hill He made his own running and won with some thing to spare. Decimal beat Post Haste out for second money. It looked as if the latter suffered from some interference in the last furlong, but

second money. It looked as if the latter suffered from some interference in the last furlong, but no claim of foul was lodged. Dunblane seemed to be suffering from an attack of the slows.

Blueaway was a decided choice in the third race, and for a mile it looked as if his backers would cash, but Meadowthorpe's challenge in the final drive proved too much for him, and he was beaten by a head with Beau Ideal third. The last time they met Blueaway beat him in a gallop. Kinnikinnic was voted easy money for the handicap, and it proved the good thing that had been counted. Spencer waited with him until the homestretch, then came on and won in clever fashion. St. Clair was kept busy beating Sky Scraper out for second money.

Guiden completed the day's list of winners. He made all the running, and really won handlly, although Maher hurried him some after entering the homestretch. He runs like a sluggard. Mynheer was second and Frandoo third. Her Ladyship, who was heavily supported, was left at the post. Bullman, who rode her, was responsible for this, for he deliberately pulled up. He was fined \$100 for this and suspended a day for his part of the affair. It is reported here that W. P. Norton, who is in New-York, has sold all but one of his yearlings to Tod Sloan, to be shipped to England. The reserved coit is a brother to Sunny Slope, for whom an offer of \$7,500 was refused recently. Turner did not ride to-day, as he is on the sick list. The summarles.

special weights. One mile. Sanford & Sons' b. f. Mai, by Meddler Spring-ide, 111 lb. (Spencer) E. Mannix & Co.'s b. f. Exit, 111. (Maher) E. McDonald's ch. f. Belle of Troy, 111. (H. Evans) Halo also ran.

Time—1:48%.

Betting—Mai, 6 to 5 and 2 to 5; Exit, 6 to 1 and 6 to Relle of Troy, 16 to 5 and even; Halo, 9 to 2 and

FIRST RACE-Purse \$300, for three year old filles

Start poor. Won ridden out by a length; two lengths between second and Mrd. SECOND RACE-Purse \$100, for two year olds; seiling.

Purser's ch. c. Tar Till, by El Rio Rey-

Time—1:16%.

Betting—Tar Hill, 5 to 1 and 8 to 5: Dectmal, 9 to 2 and 8 to 5: Post Haste, 10 to 1 and 3 to 1; The Rush, 12 to 1 and 4 to 1; Dumblane, 7 to 5 and 1 to 2; Miss.
Diede, 12 to 1 and 4 to 1; Barney F., 30 to 1 and 10 to 1. enally by a length and a half, a hear between second and third.

THIRD RACE-Purse \$400; selling. One and one eight miles.

W. Shorr & Son's b. b. Meadowthorps, by Kantaka.

Haby, 5 vra., 10d lb. (T. Burns)

P. Robison's b. c. Blucaway, 4, 110. (Maheri, H. Hanna's ch. g. Beau Ideal, 6, 103. (Bullman)

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Time... 1.55.

Hanwell also ran.

Time—1:55.

Betting—Meadowthorpe, 6 to 1 and even; Blueawa; 1 to 20 and out; Beau Ideal, 3 to 1 and 3 to 5; Hanwell to 20 and out; Beau Ideal, 3 to 1 and 3 to 5;

Start good. Wen driving by a head; a length and a half between second and third. FOURTH RACE-Purse, \$500, handleap. Seven furlongs T. J. Healey's b. h. Kinnikinnic, by Candlemas Flib

7. J. Healey's b. h. Kinnikinnic, by Candlemas Filb-bertigibhet, 5 yrs. 116 lb. (Spencer) 1 F. F. Barrett & Co.'s ch. c. St. Clair, 3, 119 (Maheri 2 J. L. Holland's b. f. Sky Scraper, 3, 100 (Bullman) 3 The Star of Bethieren (Consilla, Dr. Nembula and Hen Hadad also ran. Time—1:284. Hetting Klinnikinnic, 2 to 10 and out; St. Clair, 7 to 2 and 6 to 5, Sky Scraper, 6 to 1 and 2 to 1; The Star of Bethlehem, 30 to 1 and 10 to 1; Cloudilla, 20 to 1 and 5 to 1, Dr. Nembula, 20 to 1 and 7 to 1, Hen Hadad, 8 to 1 and 5 to 2.

Start good. Won handily by a length; three parts of a length between second and third,

FIFTH RACE-Purse \$400; for two year olds; specia

weights Five furlongs

J. E. Madden's ch. c. Guiden, by Spendthrift—Tarantella, 102 fb.

J. R. Kaan's br. c. Mynheer, by Governor Fornser-Fraulein, 102

F. Davidson's br. e. Frandoc, 102

G. T. Burns, La Vega, Monometalliar and Kirkembob also ran. H. Ladyshlp was left at the post.

Betting—Guiden, 11 to 20 and out; Mynheer, 10 to

Time-1:024,

Betting-Guiden, 11 to 20 and out; Mynheer, 10 to 1 and 5 to 2; Frandon, 6 to 1 and 6 to 5; La Vega, 100 to 1 and 30 to 1; Monometallist, 100 to 1 and 40 to 1; Kickembob, 60 to 1 and 12 to 1; Her Ladyship, 6 to 1 and 6 to 5.

Start poor. Won cleverly by three-quarters of a length length between second and third.

ENTRIES FOR TO-DAY. FIRST RACE—For mares and filles three years old an upward; \$400 added. One mile.

L'Alouette 112 Lady Lindsey 10 Azucena 106 Souchen 10 Hurly Burly 100
SECOND RACE-For two year olds; \$400 added. Fiv
and a half furlongs.
Sardine         107 Angel         10           Laurestea         107 Firste J         10
Handleapper 107 Federalist 10 The Amazon 106 Flamora 10
Miss Shanley
Innovator
Boundlee

116 Cabrillo 111 Bob White. 111 Trianon 106 Red Spider FOURTH RACE-Selling: \$400 added. Five furlongs. FOURTH RACE—Selling Sets ander. Five s Eugenia Wickes 107 Chivairous Lady Mitchell. 107 Miss Marton. The Dauphin 108 Frincess Margaret Mechanus 108 Our Breeze Fearsall 104 Decide Lopia 108 Rinsido Judge Wardell. 103 Dolly Weithoff. Tyrian 102 Nicholas 101

FIFTH RACE-THE KENSINGTON HOTEL HURDLE

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GOLF.

# HANDICAP; value \$1,000. Two miles, over eigh

OPENING OF THE TOURNAMENT SEASON

IN NEW-ENGLAND. The tournament season in New-England will begin next week, when the attention of golfers will be divided between the Point Judith County Club, of Narragansett Pler, and the Kebo Valley Country Club, of Bar Harbor. Play on the course of the first named organization will begin on Monday morning with an eighteen hole qualifying round for the President's and Consolation cups, the first sixteen being eligible for the former and the secand eight for the latter. The match play will begin Monday afternoon, and the finals for the Consolation Cup will be reached, barring accidents, on Tuesday afternoon. The Bar Harbor tournament will begin on Tuesday, but the details of the affair have not yet been received. The Newport tournament will begin probably the following week, ending on September 2. Among the trophies to be played for are the Governor's Cup, the given by the Count of Turin, which was won for the first time last year by Foxhall P. Keene; the President's Cup, offered by Buchanan Winthrop, and a cup presented by Winthrop Rutherfurd for an open match for club members.

It had all along been expected that the annual tournament of the Hackbridge Golf Club would follow that at Lenox, but yesterday the latter organization announced its dates as September 11, 12, 13, 14, 15 and 15, which will bring it two weeks after the Stockbridge affair and just at the clo-of the Berkshire season. The Executive Commi-tee-W. D. Sloane, J. W. Burden, Samuel Frot-ingham and S. Howland Robbins—has taken pair to make the programme as attractive as possible ingham and S. Howland Robbins—has taken pains to make the programme as attractive as possible, and as it will virtually close the summer golf season the entry list should be a good one. Last year there were sixty starters, of whom Percy Houghton, of the Harvard Golf Club, was the winner, defeating Abram Barker, of the Agawam Hunt Club, in the final round by 2 up and 1 to play. Houghton also won the President's Cup from Dayld Bobo, jr. by a score of 6 up and 5 to play. This year the list of prizes and conditions will be

Alexandre Cup, presented by John El Alexandre, leap, medal play, thirty-six holes. Handicap Handlesp, medal play, thirty-six holes. Handlesp imited to eighteen atrokes. 2:30 p. m.—Second round, handlesp, medal play for Alex-andre Cup.

TUESDAY.

for Lenox Cup. Hest sixteen scores to qualify. The Lenox Cup. Hest sixteen scores to qualify. To be played for annually over the course of the Lenox Golf Club. The trophy to be hed in custody for the year by the club from which the winner shall have entered, and should it be won by the same competitor three times it shall become his property.

The winner of the preliminary contest to receive a medal. The two final contestants to receive respectively a gold and sliver medal.

2.50 p. m.—Second round preliminary medal play for Lenox Cup.

Lenex Cup. WEDNESDAY.

THURSDAY.

10 s. m.—Third round match play for Lenox Cup.
2 p. m.—President's Cup. presented by William D. Stean
Plighteen holes, medal play. Best four scores
qualify.

10 a. m.—First half final match play for Lenex Cup. Eighteen holes. SATURDAY.

a. m.—President's Cup. First round match play. Eighteen holes. Open to the four players making the best scores in the medal rounds. m.—President's Cup. Finals. Eighteen holes. Match

NOTES OF THE LINKS.

Not many years ago the appearance in a gan of tennis in a nearby suburban town of a young bergyman clad in white flannel trousers, a short jacket of the same material and an outing shirt so shocked certain staid and elderly members of his congregation that presently the church was divided against itself. The conservative faction, one irreverent journal intimates that it was not so much the garments as the exposure of the wearer's attenuated limbs that shocked the good people of his church.

"Val" Flood, the professional of the Pittsfield Golf Club, has established a new record of 37 for the Pittsfield course, which now measures 2,600 yards in length. Flood's eard was 3, 4, 4, 5, 4, 5, 4, 6. A home and home match of seventy-two holer, match play has been arranged between Flood and Parr, the Taconic professional, the first half to take place on the Pittsfield links to-day and the second half at the Taconic course to-morrow.

Robert Pryde, the Scotch professional at the New-Haven Golf Club, has advanced a novel, but extremely interesting, theory that the experienced bicyclist learns more quickly how to handle a pleyellst learns more quickly how to handle a golf club than a person who does not wheel, for he has conquered the tendency displayed by all novices to grasp the implement as firmly as one grips the handle bars of the wheel while learning to ride. The average beginner at golf finds it exceedingly difficult to avoid gripping the cub with his right hand, instead of allowing it to lie along the middle joints of the fingers and leaving the firm grasp to the left hand, which imparts the main force to the swing.

The Dyker Meadow Golf Club will hold its fourth monthly handicap tournament to-morrow on the links at Fort Hamilton.

In the putting and approaching contest for asociate members held recently at the Englewood Golf Club, for a prize presented by Dr. John A. Wells, the following scored third, second and first points for the cup:

CRICKET.

#### REMARKABLE PERFORMANCE OF TWO BROTHERS

in England, when two brothers-W. L. and R. E. Foster—each scored two separate centuries in the same match. The game was between Worcestershire and Hampshire, and was played at Worcester. In the first innings of Worcestershire W. L. Foster scored 140 and R. E. Foster 134, and in the second minings the former made 172, not out, and the latter 101, not out. The performance is without precedent in the history of the game. Until the year 1892 W. G. Grace was the only batsman who had obtained a "century" in each innings of a first class match. Several batsmen have since accomplished the feat, but never before have two men done so in the same match. In the first limings the Fosters put on 179 runs in partnership for the third wicket, and in the second innings they added 219, without being parted, after the second wicket had fallen. Foster-each scored two separate centuries in the

THIRTY THOUSAND WATCHED THE GAME POPULAR INTEREST DISPLAYED IN CRICKET IN

London, Aug. 15.-The fifth and last test cricket natch between Australia and England was begun at Kennington Oval this morning, in the presence of thirty thousand spectators. The weather was of thirty inousing specialors, the England won the toss, went to bat, and when an adjournment was made for lunch had scored 149 runs, with no wickets down.

At the close of play England had scored 435 runs for four wickets down.

#### ROWING.

THE REGATTA OF THE SEAWANHAKA BOAT CLUB. The Regatta Committee of the Seawanhaka Boat Club held a meeting in the Hotel Carleton, Brook-lyn, yesterday, and decided to hold the annual re-gatta of the organization on Sunday, August 27, off the clubhouse of the organization, on Flush-ing Bay.

AQUATIC CARNIVAL AT FAR ROCKAWAY. The Far Rockaway Life Guards' Association held its annual squatic carnival off Far Rockaway yes-terday. The programme included swimming, row-ing, diving, races, a boat race of a mile and one of half a mile, and in the evening there was a pail.

DUAL GAMES AT COLUMBIA OVAL.

At Columbia Oval on Saturday next the Dreadnaught Athletic Club and Morris Wheelmen have combined to hold dual games. The programme is run, throwing the discus, one mile blcycle race, novice; 100 yard run, throwing the discus, one mile blcycle race, scratch; 220 yard run, putting the shot, running broad jump; five mile pursuit race, four men team from each club; 890 yard run, high jump and a wame of basekali. f game of baseball,

#### CYCLING.

FIRST DAY OF THE LEAGUE OF AMERI-CAN WHEELMEN MEET AT BOSTON.

BOATS AND TRAINS THRONGED WITH CTCLISTS ON THEIR WAY TO THE HUB. THE POPU-LARITY OF THE AMERICAN WHEEL-

NOTES AND COMMENTS.

The annual reunion and meet of the League of American Wheelmen began in Boston yesterday, and the festivities will be continued right through the week. While many club men and unattached riders started on Saturday and Sunday, the number which left yesterday was so large that the transportation companies found it impossible to eccommodate the late arrivals, at least on the It was impossible to get a berth on either of those lines after 10 o'clock yesterday morning. Most of the travellers took their bicycles with them. contingents of wheelmen left the Grand Central Station on the trains which started at 3 and 5 p. m. and many more went on the midnight train. Yesterday was devoted to the registration of visitors, securing of suitable hotel and boarding house accommodations, and generally to getting acquainted. There were a few runs to interesting house accommodations, and generally to getting acquainted. There were a few runs to interesting points, but the sports and entertainments will begin in earnest to-day. Racing will play an important part in the meet this year. Heretofore only two days, or at most three days, have been devoted to racing, but this year there will be racing for five days. Most of the prominent riders of this country will be present, as well as the majority of the foreign riders who took part in the international championship contests at Montreal last week.

The first annual meet of the White Plains Wheelmen will be held on the one-half mile track of the Westchester County Horse Show Association, at the Fair Grounds. White Plains, N. Y., on September 16. The contests will be a one mile novice tember 16. The contests will be a one race, open; a one mile bandicap, open; a five mile team pursuit race, for county teams only; a two mile handicap, open; a motor exhibition for county records, a professional race and several match races. Captain Charles P. Staubach, of Company K, 8th Regiment, will referee the contests. Entries close on Septem-er 13 with L. E. Holden, No. 25 Warren-st.

bserving the almost total disappearance of Enlish wheels from the market, undertook to find out the cause. "It is the American machine," he writes, "that has literally crowded the English wheel out of the Continental market, and the reasons appear to be logical. One dealer told me the quality of the English machine was too good for the present demand. An enthusiastic to look for one that would last him years. This changing of fashion and keeping up to the times has therefore completely thrown the high priced machine out of the market. Even the wheelmen of the wealthy classes will no longer pay the prices, and are demanding wheels at from \$70 to \$75 at the highest. This enables them to change their machines at will without too heavy a loss, for a second hand machine to-day, no matter how well known the make or how finely built it may be, brings no more than \$25; such is the state of the market. Machines that formerly sold readily at \$100 and \$125 can no longer find buyers, with the result that English concerns are no longer represented at Brussels."

"Many wheelmen purchase a new mount ever; season and sell the old one," says a veteran deal-er. "Assuming that a person does only a fair cases where the machine is used every day and gets a lot of wear, it is advisable, when possible, of the change which takes place in metal which is constantly subjected to strain and jar, and the particles of the metal forming the tube tend the particles of the metal forming the tube tend to separate from each other. If any one would take the trouble to cut a piece of tube which has been in daily use on a bleycle for a considerable period and examine it with a magnifying glass, and then cut a new piece of tube, he would see the difference at once. Needless to say, this crystalization weakens the tube, until some day it suddenly snaps off. Had the bleycle not been used every day this would not have occurred. Bearing this in mind, constant riders would do well to keep a full roadster for rough work on bad roads, and a lighter wheel for fast riding under favorable circumstances."

St. Louis now has an automobile street cleaner, which performs its duties as capably as and with greater facility than the great, cumbersome device now so familiar. The automobile is itself of or-dinary construction, save that the brushes, which revolve in the rear much after the fashion of the old sweeper, are operated by electricity, which drives them, more speedily and more effectively than they were driven under the old plan.

tract riders of the wheel, now offers as an in-

# BASEBALL.

BROOKLYN STILL MAINTAINS ITS LEAD OVER BOSTON.

GAMES TESTERDAY

Brecklyn, 4; Louisville, 2 New York, 7; Cleveland, 6, Boston, 8; Cincinnati, 8, Philadelphia, 6; Chicago, 3, Washington St. Louis, rain.

THE RECORDS. Clubs. Won-Lost P.c. Clubs.
coklyn 64 24 653 St. Louis.
ston 61 26 626 Pittsburg.
dladelphia 61 30 610 Louisville.
ditimore 58 39 568 New York
neimat 54 42 548 Cleveland.

All of the four leading baseball teams won yesterday. Boston won from Cincinnati and Brooklyn defeated Louisville, and Brooklyn still retains a fair lead. Louisville lost at Washington Park the opening inning Leach hit the ball for a home run and some of the visitors thought they had the game, but before the inning was up Brooklyn added a run to its credit, making it a tie. Neither team scored again until the third inning, when visitors were able to make. The home team scored twice in the sixth inning, winning the game by 4 to 2. This was the last game of the series. Swarr-wood made a peculiar decision in the sixth inning. Farrell sent up a fly that Clark held momentarily, but Clark dropped the ball in starting to throw. Swartwood allowed the out, but Brookiyn scored the winning runs after the decision. The score:

Totals ... 31 2 5 24 9 3 Totals ... 33 4 12 27 10 0 

Earned runs Louisville, 1, Brooklyn, 2, Home run-such, Left on bases Louisville, 7, Brooklyn, 7, Struck it By Kennedy, 4, Sacrifice hit Cunningham, Stolen asses Wagner, Anderson, Base on balls—By Kennedy, by Cunningham, 1, Double play—Clingman and M. Sily, Hit by pitched ball—Jones, Time of game— 55, Umpires—Swartwood and McDonald. Attendance— 100.

A SLOW GAME TO EMPTY SEATS The New-York baseball team yesterday had no

rouble in defeating the Cleveland team, which holds last place in the League race, at the Polo Grounds. In the fifth inning, with the score 3 to 6 n New-York's favor, the Cleveland players made a rally and scored four runs, but the home team forged ahead in the seventh and eighth innings. The game was dul and uninteresting. Only four hundred spectators were present. The score;

Cleveland

Earned run—New York. First base by errors—New York, 1. Cleveland, 1. Left on bases—New-York, 6. Cleveland, 8. First base on balls—Off Gettig, 3, off Righty 4. Struck cut—By Gettig, 2; by Hughey, 3. Three base int—Gleason. Two base hit—Dowd. Sacrifice bits—Grady. Stolen bases—Van Halten, O'Brien, Foster, Double plays—Quinn, Lockhead and Tucker; Sugden and Lockhead. Passed balls—Sugden, 2. Wild pitch—Hughey. Umpires—Emsile and Wilson.

#### BOSTON, 8: CINCINNATI, 2.

Boston, Aug. 14.-Phillips was badly rattled in the seventh to-day, after two were out, and gave two passes to first, which, with two singles and Duffy's lucky double, clinched the game for Ros ton. A lightning triple play in the first prevented : Lieutenant W. R. M. FIELD is detached from command

Boston from scoring. With three men on bases, Steinfieldt jumped in the air and brought down Collins's liner, tagged third and threw to McPhee, retiring the side. Umpire Gaffney's decisions caused a good deal of kicking. Attendance, 4,000. The score follows:

Batteries Nichols and Bergen; Phillips and Pettz.

PHILADELPHIA, 6; CHICAGO, 3.

Philadelphia, Aug. 14.—Chicago outbatted and outfielded the Phillies to-day, but an unlucky inning, in which the visitors made two errors and the locals three hits, allowed Philadelphia to win Attendance, 4.582. The score follows:

Chicago ... ... 0 0 2 0 0 1 0 0 0 3 11 2 Philadelphia ... 0 0 0 4 0 0 6 2 x 6 7 4 Batteries-Taylor and Donahue; Bernhard and Douglass

BALTIMORE, 14: PITTSBURG, 9. Baltimore, Aug. 14.-The Orioles pulled out forlorn hope against the Pittsburgers to-day in the third inning, when, with the score i to 0 against them, they batted Tannehill out of the box. Sparks did not fare much better, and the game was clinched before he warmed up. Attendance, 1.681. The score follows: 

Batteries Tannehill, Sparks and Schriver; McGinnity, icKenna, Howell and Robinson, called at end of seventh inning on account of darkness.

#### LAWN TENNIS.

THE BIG TOURNAMENT BEGINS TO-DAY-LARNED NOT TO COMPETE, AND AL-LEN ALSO DROPS OUT.

Newport, R. I., Aug. 14 (Special).-Everything is in readiness to night for the annual tournament for the lawn tennis championship of America. which opens here to-morrow morning on the courts of the Casino. The schedule for the first day's matches has been posted up by Dr. Dwight, the official referce, and all of the dozen courts within the Casino grounds will be in full blast in the morning. All day the experts have been arriving, ar

of them indulged in light practice this afternoon. The list of entries, though smaller than usual this season, includes all of the crack players of the country with the exception of R. D. Wrenn. Larned, to the disappointment of all, has sent word that he will not be able to play, and Allen, the clever young champion from Yale, will also drop out of the struggle to-morrow. Wrenn is still suffering from a relapse from the Cuban fever, con tracted outside of Santiago last summer; Larned has rheumatism in his knees so badly that it is difficult for him to play, and Allen fell on the court last week in practice and sprained his ankle.

It was expected that the final match in doubles between the Eastern and Western champion pairs would be played to-morrow morning, but Allen's absence has forced a postponement and Dr. Dwight has consented to hold it ever until Friday in order not to have to default Allen and Hackett in this The challenge match between the champions, Ware and Sheldon, and the challengers will probably be played on Saturday. The Eastern team, Davis and Ward, are still prime favorites for both matches, and even money is freely offered without takers on their winning both matches. One feature of the week here will be the inter-

scholastic championship matches, and two or three young players who have won the preparatory young players who have won the preparatory tournaments given by the different colleges, will play in this series. Wright, who represents the Harvard preparatory schools, won the title of Interscholastic Champion of America last season, and he is looked on as a sure winner again this year. He will have against him, however, two promising young experts in Grant, the winner from Columbia, and Miller, who won the Yale tournament at New-Haven. These matches will be started probably on Thursday.

The withdrawal of Larned leaves Davis the favorite for first honors in the tournament, and he is picked out by the majority of experts as the most probable challenger for Champion Whitman. In the first quarter of the draw, Allen's default in the singles- for he will not be able to play in this event anyway-leaves Budlong. Ward and Ware as the favorites for a place in the semi-finals, with the odds in favor of Ware's getting there. In the second quarter, Larned's default leaves the semi-final honors for Chace, Paret, Stevens or Huntinston, while in the third quarter Rond and Wright are the only players to dispute Davis's path to this round. The fourth quarter contains the names of Fischer, George Wrenn and Collins, but Fischer's recent form would indicate that one of the other two would reach the coveted position in the semi-final round.

In the first and preliminary rounds to-morrow. tournaments given by the different colleges, will

final round.

In the first and preliminary rounds to-morrow morning several exciting matches are expected to take place. Budiong has drawn Ward, Chace has drawn Paret, George Wrenn has drawn Fischer and Wright has drawn Sheldon. All of these matches are expected to be close and full of excitement. The veteran Chace will not be here until Wednesday, so his match with Paret will probably be held then.

#### THE HOMBURG CHAMPIONSHIPS WELL KNOWN PLAYERS ENTERED-HOBART

tournament opened here to-day under flattering auspices. The weather was fine. Many of the best known players from all parts of the world are competing. Both in quality and quantity the entries have exceeded all expectation. There are forty-four entered for the championship of Europe, and in the other events almost equal numbers have entered. Several imperial and royal personages have signified their intention of witnessing the tournament. The three brothers boherty, H. S. Mahoney and most of the leading British players are here. Clarence Hobart and several other American representatives are also present, as well as inumerable first class players from the Continent. About forty matches, chiefly preliminary rounds, were played to-day, Hobart whening his match. auspices. The weather was fine. Many of the best

#### POLO.

Newport, R. I., Aug. 14 (Special). To add to the attractive features of the pole tournament of the Westchester (Newport) Club, Herman Oelrichs has offered three cups to be played for by teams made ip of the poloists now gathered here, the contest to take place on the Batemans Point grounds tomorrow. As this is an overnight event it is im-possible to forecast the actual makeup of the teams. out it is safe to say that the lineup will comprise members of the Myopia, Philadelphia and th clubs who have already appeared on the Newport

clubs who have aircady appeared on the Newport field.

This arrangement leaves Wednesday, Thursday and Friday open for the Newport and Polo Club Cup games, as by the regular schedule, published in these columns. The Osirichs trophics, necessitating at least three contests, it is now possible that the Newport fournament will extend into next week. The field is now in perfect condition, and, given fine weather, there is no reason why the meeting should not prove highly successful.

# ARMY AND NAVY ORDERS.

Washington, Aug. 11 (Special).-The following Army and Navy orders have been issued: ARMY.

Captain HARRY R. LEE, 11th Infantry, is assigned to Company H. Captain WILLIAM M. WRIGHT, 2d Infantry, is transferred from Company F to Company I. Captain FRANK B. M'COY, 24 Infantry, is assigned to Company F.

Company F.

Roard of Survey, to consist of Major GEORGE W.

RUTHERR, Subsistence Department, Captain HENRY
D. SNYDER, Menheal Department, and Lieuteman

GEORGE R. PRITCHARD, Jr., Pth. Cavalry, is appointed to meet at the quartermaster's depart, Savan

nah, for the purpose of ascertaining, reporting the

facts and making recommendations upon question

of responsibility for a certain quantity of clothing for

which Captain William R. Colquiosin, Quartermaster'

Department, is accountable.

The following transfers are made in the 5th

First Lieutenant GEORGE LE R. IRWIN, from Battery I to Light Battery D. First Lieutenant OSCAR I. STRAUB, from Light Battery D to Battery I. Lieu-tenant STRAUB will foil his battery. Captain JONEPH E. KUHN, Corps of Engineers, is de-tailed as a member of the Board of Ordnance and Fortifications, vice Colonel Peter C. Hains, Corps of Engineers, relieved.

First Leutenant MERVYN C. BUCKEY, 3d Artillery, is relieved from recruiting service, and will report to the chief of ordnance for taking charge of dynamics gain about to be shipped to the Philippine Islands. The following transfers are made: Lieurenant Colonel EGBERT H. SAVAGE, from the 10th Infantry to the 13th Infantry; Lieutenant Colonel

SUMNER H. LINCOLN, from the 13th Infantry to the 16th Infantry. Lieutenant Colonel Lincoln will join his regiment. in his regiment.

in WILLIAM T. MAY, 15th Infantry, is detailed recruiting service and will proceed to New York r assignment to the recruiting station at No. 132 Park-ave.

Major ALFRED E. BRADLEY, surgeon, upon being relieved by Major Harry O. Perley, surgeon, as commanding officer, hospital ship Relief, at San Francisco, will proceed to Fort Yellowstone for duty.

end Lieutenant FRANCIS II. POPE, 2d Cavatry, will proceed from New York to West Point, August 21, for duty at the Academy. for duty at the Academy.

Acting Assistant Surgeon ALBERT P. FITZSIMMONS will proceed to San Francisco for duty. Acting Assistant Surgeon A. HALL will proceed to San Prancisco for duty.

Second Lieutenant DAVID M'M. GREGG, Jr., 27th Infrantry, is honorably discharged upon tender of resig nation.

Captain DANIEL W. ARNOLD, assistant quartermaster, will report in person to Major Francis B. Jones, general superintendent of Army transport service, New-York, for temporary duty as quartermaster and commissary on the transport McPherson, to relieve Captain Louis V. Williams, assistant quartermaster.

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of the Piscatagua on arrival at New-York and ordered to the Naval Academy, September 12. ordered to the Naval Academy, September 12, val Cadet W. T. TARRANT is detached from the Piscataqua and ordered to report to the commander in chief of the North Atlantic Station at Newport.

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